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Filing Date:	March 15, 2004	) Art Unit:
For:	MACHINE FOR SHEET-FED	) 2854
	ROTARY PRINTING OR SHEET	)
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Docket No.: 5041 0014US

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER IN RESPONSE TO  
RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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U.S.A.

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Independent claims	1	-	3	X	x\$200	0
Multiple dependent claim added					\$360	0
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This communication is in response to the Office Action in the subject patent application mailed July 21, 2005 requiring restriction/election. The Applicant hereby elects invention a. directed towards corona treatment of the sheet. Claim 2 is readable on elected invention a.. This election is made **with traverse**.

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The traverse is based on the fact that not only claim 1 but also claims 3 to 12 and 16 to 20 are all generic. Claims 3 to 12 and 16 to 20 recite additional limitations to claim 1 which are appropriate for use with both elected invention a. of claim 2. as well as with non-elected inventions b., c., and d. of claims 13, 14, and 15. Examination of claims 1 to 12 and 16 to 20 is therefore requested.

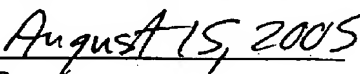
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